



True Colours

(Thee Desperado x Daheda by Dalul)

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True Colours is one of the youngest straight Egyptian stallions to accomplish a show resume of international award winning credentials, by the time he was five years of age. Region 18 Champion Stallion, Egyptian Event, USA titles include - World Champion Stallions of 1997, Res. Senior Champion Stallion, Res. Supreme Stallion, World Championships, Salon du Cheval, Top Five Elite Senior Stallion, World Champion "Most Beautiful Head", and most recently, 2003 Scottsdale Res. Stallions of 1996 & 1997! True Colours is a natural show horse and loves an audience! He has a superlative beautiful face, type personified, very correct in conformation and is extraordinarily charismatic, complemented by his extreme natural high tail carriage and phenomenal motion.

With only three foals crops he has proven to be a very prepotent predictable sire. He has produced foals from various bloodlines and you can tell they are True Colours offspring. Pretty faces, lovely high set, long arching necks, great tail carriage and presence. His sons and daughters have been exported to the United States, Middle East

and the United Kingdom and are excelling in the show arena and winning Junior Championships.

PEDIGREE

True Colours boasts a pedigree that will take the guesswork out of breeding. His sire Thee Desperado (The Minstril x AK Amiri Asmarr by The Egyptian Prince) certainly needs no introduction. He stands unchallenged as the most successful straight Egyptian sire of champions in the USA. An accomplished show horse in his own right (U.S. National Reserve Champion Stallion, Scottsdale Senior Champion Stallion), Thee Desperado's name has become synonymous with the word "type". Through The Minstril, Ruminaja Ali, Shaikh Al Badi, and Morafic he traces to Nazeer - a sire line whose success is unparalleled in modern Egyptian breeding. True Colours' dam Daheda is a daughter of former U.S. National Champion Futurity Colt, Dalul (Morafic x Dawlat), who for many years stood as head sire of the Stonebridge Farm in Canada. Dalul was famous for his perfect body, his presence and the suspended trot that the judges are loo-

RUMINAJA ALI AHR*134937 Grey 1976	SHAIKH AL BADI AHR*54456 Grey 1969	*MORAFIC AHR*32261 Grey 1956 *BINT MAISA EL SAGHIRA AHR*23220 Bay 1958 *KHOFO AHR*32265 Grey 1965 *MAGIDAA AHR*56075 Chestnut 1964
THE MINSTRIL AHR*322707 Bay 1984	BINT MAGIDAA AHR*62907 Grey 1970	
*BAHILA AHR*265239 Black 1977	IBN GALAL I GASB*784 Chestnut 1973	IBN GALAL ASBB*90 Chestnut 1966 11 HANADI ASBB*99 Chestnut 1968
THEE DESPERADO AHR*447044 Bay 1989	BAKRIA GASB*801 Bay 1973	GHARIB SBWM*172 Black 1965 *BAHEIA AAS*10 Grey 1968
THEEGYPTIANPRINCE AHR*45351 Grey 1967	*MORAFIC AHR*32261 Grey 1956	NAZEER RAS*247 Grey 1934 MABROUKA EAO*12 Chestnut 1951
AK AMIRI ASMARR AHR*332829 Grey 1985	*BINT MONA AHR*30263 Grey 1958	NAZEER RAS*247 Grey 1934 MOUNA EAO*22 Chestnut 1954
ASMARR AHR*188279 Bay 1979	*ZAGHLOUL AHR*69609 Grey 1963	GASSIR RAS*371 Grey 1941 GHARBAWIA EAO*426 Grey 1951
	NAGLIAH AHR*82769 Bay 1972	*IBN HAFIZA AHR*61769 Bay 1959 *NABILAHH AHR*32264 Grey 1960
*MORAFIC AHR*32261 Grey 1956	NAZEER RAS*247 Grey 1934	MANSOUR RAS*111 Grey 1921 BINT SAMIHA RAS*133 Bay 1925
	MABROUKA EAO*12 Chestnut 1951	SID ABOUHOM RAS*285 Grey 1936 MONIET EL NEFOUS RAS*441 Chestnut 1946
DALUL CAHR*2688 Chestnut 1968	*DAWLAT AHR*32273 Chestnut 1961	AMTER IOHB*28 Chestnut 1946
	SHAHZRADA EAO*120 Chestnut 1955	HAMDAN IOHB*10 Grey 1936 OBEYA IOHB*15 Grey 1940
DAHEDA CAHR*29729 Grey 1987	MONEEF SBWM*285 Grey 1975	NAZEER RAS*247 Grey 1934 YOSREIA RAS*399 Grey 1943
	HADBAN ENZAH I SBWM*79 Grey 1952	NAZEER RAS*247 Grey 1934 KAMILA RAS*382 Grey 1942
NAHED GRSB AHR*365049 Grey 1983	MOHEBA II SBWM*119 Grey 1960	GHAZAL SBWM*85 Grey 1953 MALACHA SBWM*92 Bay 1955
	GHARIB SBWM*172 Black 1965	AMTER IOHB*28 Chestnut 1946 SOUHAIR EAO*107 Bay 1954
NOOSA SBWM*234 Grey 1972	NADJA SBWM*93 Grey 1955	NAZEER RAS*247 Grey 1934 NEFISA RAS*429 Grey 1945

king for - and he passed these desirable traits on to his grandson True Colours. Daheda's dam Nahed (Moneef x Noosa) stems from the famous breeding program of the Marbach State Stud in Germany and traces in tail female line to the foundation mare Nadja (Nazeer x Nefisa), who in turn is a full-sister to the famous Glennloch import Bint Nefisaa (the dam of El Hilal). It's sufficient to say that True Colours' pedigree combines the best of Europe, Canada and the US.

PERSONALITY

True Colours is a one of a kind horse that exudes a certain something that we all think an Arabian should have that goes beyond mere type or conformation. He is a stallion that is a pleasure to have on the farm, he generates excitement and makes you feel happy! When he is away you really miss him. He is a very confident, personable individual and extremely in tune with your emotions. It is not unusual for him to leave his food to visit, be stroked and listen to a quiet conversation. When he has an audience he puts on a show second to none, snort and blow, showing off his powerful motion. He never disappoints you.

True Colours is also a great sire in fact as everybody know is the father of the two times World Champion Royal Colours proudly owned by Dubai Arabian Horse Stud, True Colours proudly owned by RB Arabian Horse Stud of Ronen Braver.

To appreciate True Colours you have to see him in person, and after all, he is only a day away! □



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